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Information on an Aircraft Plant Near the Trencin Biskupice Airfield

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REMARKS

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1. The aviation plant, the name of which was unknown, was located near the Trencin Biskupice airfield. Plant and airfield had been built by the Germans in 1942.¹
2. A two-engine transport plane without markings about 14 meters long and with a wing span of 16 meters equipped with in-line engines and three-bladed propellers used to park on a concrete apron in front of the plant.²
3. About once a month, [] trucked six large in-line engines, which had been produced in the Udolie plant, in Dubnica, to the aviation plant.³

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Most of the radial engines and in-line engines produced by the Udolie plant were forwarded to the Avia factory in Prague.

4. [] airframes were produced at the aircraft plant.⁴ []

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1. [] Comment. As early as about 1936 or 1937, the newly built Military Aviation Workshops were put into operation in Trencin, Slovakia, as a repair plant of the Czechoslovakian Air Force. The workshops were transferred from Neutra (Nitra) to Trencin.

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2. [] Comment. [] the plane mentioned was a DC 3 (C 47) with single rudder assembly, tail wheel, and two engines. It is therefore believed that the statement on in-line engines is an error in observation.

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3. ☐ Comment. No information is available on the production of aircraft engines in Dubnica. The production there of aircraft engines is believed improbable. The Udolie plant is a branch of the nationalized K.Y. Voroshilov enterprise, (former Skoda works) and is known to produce ammunition exclusively. It is possible that the Udolie plant serves as a storage depot.

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4. ☐ Comment. As stated in Field Comment No 1, the aviation plant was a repair shop. It is believed still to be used as such.

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Enclosure ☐

☐ Sketch, with legend, of aircraft plant near the Trencin Biskupice airfield (2 pages) / ORR, Air, Army).

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Legend.

- 1 Aviation plant, 180 x 55 meters, about 15 meters high
- 2 Three-story office building, 60 x 12 meters
- 3 and 4 Boiler house, 60 x 16 meters, with a smokestack 35 meters high
- 5 Travelling crane
- 6 Wire fence
- 7 Military building, 50 x 12 meters, painted green
- 8 Military building, 50 x 12 meters, painted green
- 9 Building, 6 x 6 meters, no details available
- 10 Corrugated sheet metal hanger, 120 x 35 meters
- 11 Guardhouse
- 12 Meteorological station
- 13 Wire fence
- 14 Guardhouse, 4 x 4 meters
- 15 Airfield

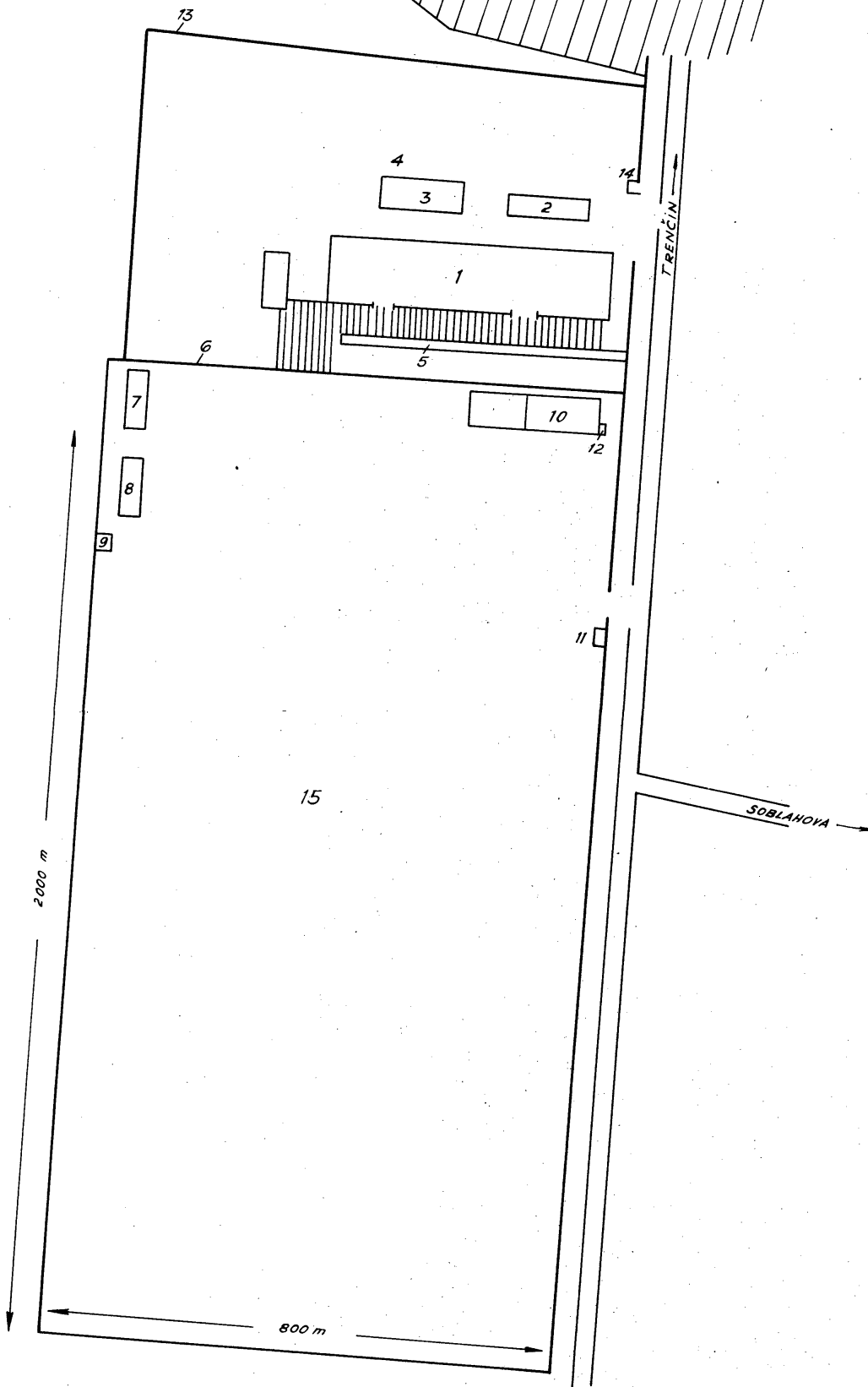
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